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AMENDMENTS TO THE CLAIMS

1. (Currently amended) A method comprising:

receiving an operation, a selection of a block of code, and a selection of a paste location;

determining that the whether a block of code associated with an operation has a size greater than a threshold; and threshold;

when the size is greater than the threshold, creating a method that comprises the block of code; and

adding an invocation of the method at the paste location.

- (Original) The method of claim 1, further comprising:
 replacing the block of code at a copy location with an invocation of the method.
- 3. (Canceled)
- 4. (Original) The method of claim 1, further comprising:

displaying user interface options based on whether the operation is to be performed within a single part and class.

5. (Original) The method of claim 1, further comprising:

displaying user interface options based on whether the operation is to be performed between two parts in a single package.

- 6. (Original) The method of claim 1, wherein the operation comprises a copy-and-paste operation.
- 7. (Original) The method of claim 1, wherein the operation comprises a punch-out operation.

8. (Currently amended) An apparatus comprising:

means for receiving a copy-and-paste operation, a selection of a block of code, and a selection of a paste location;

means for determining that thewhether a block of code-associated with a copyand paste operation has a size greater than a threshold;

means for creating a method that comprises the block of code when the size is greater than the threshold; and

means for replacing the block of code with an invocation of the method.

- 9. (Currently amended) The apparatus of claim 8, further comprising: means for adding the invocation of the method at the pastes paste location.
- 10. (Original) The apparatus of claim 8, further comprising: means for selecting user interface options to present based on whether the copyand-paste operation is within a single part and class.
- 11. (Original) The apparatus of claim 8, further comprising: means for selecting user interface options to present based on whether the copyand-paste operation is between two parts in a single package.
- 12. (Original) The apparatus of claim 8, further comprising: means for selecting user interface options to present based on the copy-and-paste operation being between two parts in two different packages.
- 13. (Currently amended) A storagesignal-bearing medium encoded with instructions, wherein the instructions when executed comprise:

receiving a copy-and-paste operation, a selection of a block of code, and a selection of a paste location;

determining that thewhether a block of code associated with a copy and paste operation has a size greater than a threshold;

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creating a method that comprises the block of code-when the size is greater than the threshold;

replacing the block of code with an invocation of the method; and adding the invocation of the method at the pasten paste location.

14. (Currently amended) The storagesignal bearing medium of claim 13, further comprising:

selecting user interface options to present based on whether the copy-and-paste operation is within a single part and class.

15. (Currently amended) The storagesignal bearing medium of claim 13, further comprising:

selecting user interface options to present based on whether the copy-and-paste operation is between two parts in a single package.

16. (Currently amended) The <u>storagesignal bearing</u> medium of claim 13, further comprising:

selecting user interface options to present based on the copy-and-paste operation being between two parts in two different packages.

17. (Currently amended) An electronic device comprising:

a processor; and

a storage device encoded with instructions, wherein the instructions when executed on the processor comprise:

receiving a copy-and-paste operation, a selection of a block of code at a copy location, and a selection of a paste location;

determining that the whether a block of code associated with a copy and paste operation has a size greater than a threshold; threshold;

creating a method that comprises the block of <u>code</u>; code when the size is greater than the threshold.

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replacing the block of code at the copya copy location with an invocation of the method, method;

adding the invocation of the method at the paste location; a paste location, and

determining thatwhen the block of code is to return a plurality of values; and

creating a helper class for the method, wherein the helper class returns the plurality of values or values.

18. (Original) The electronic device of claim 17, wherein the instructions further comprise:

selecting a user interface default option to present based on whether the copy-andpaste operation is between two parts in a single package.

19. (Currently amended) The electronic device of claim 17, wherein the instructions further comprise:

designating a create private method option as a user interface default option if the copy-and-paste operation requested that the block of code be copied within a single part,

selecting a user interface default option to present based on whether the copy and paste operation is between two parts in a single package.

20. (Original) The electronic device of claim 17, wherein the instructions further comprise:

selecting a user interface default option to present based on the copy-and-paste operation being between two parts in two different packages.